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SUBJECT: U.S.-SPANISH JOINT COMMITTEE SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY:  
SOLAR ENERGY

1. ERDA REP. CLIFFORD SELVAGE PHONED SCIATT 24 AUGUST  
TO INFORM EMBASSY THAT HE COULD BE IN MADRID 17 - 21  
SEPTEMBER FOR MEETINGS WITH SPANISH SOLAR ENERGY EXPERTS  
AND THEIR SUPERIORS IN ORDER TO WORK UP A MORE SATISFACTORY  
PLAN FOR SOLAR ENERGY COOPERATION UNDER THE 1976 TREATY.  
THE IMMEDIATE OBJECTIVE WOULD BE TO DRAFT COOPERATIVE  
RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT PROPOSALS FOR SUPPORT FROM FY77  
TREATY FUNDS. SELVAGE SAID THAT HE HAD VERY RECENT ERDA  
AND DEPARTMENT GUIDANCE ON HOW HE SHOULD PROCEED AND THAT  
HE WAS OPTIMISTIC THAT A MUTUALLY ACCEPTABLE PACKAGE  
COULD BE DRAFTED DURING HIS VISIT.

2. WHILE EMBASSY IS PLEASED TO HEAR THAT SELVAGE IS  
OPTIMISTIC ABOUT AN EARLY RESOLUTION OF THE LONG-STANDING  
PROBLEM OF MATCHING U.S. AND SPANISH INTERESTS IN THIS  
IMPORTANT FIELD, WE DO RECALL HAVING HEARD THIS MANY  
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TIMES BEFORE FROM BOTH SPANISH AND US SOLAR ENERGY  
EXPERTS. EMBASSY WOULD THEREFORE LIKE TO BE INFORMED OF  
THE AUTHORITY AND GUIDANCE THAT HAS BEEN GIVEN SELVAGE BY  
ERDA AND THE DEPARTMENT, PRIOR TO MAKING CONTACT WITH  
SPANISH AUTHORITIES REGARDING HIS VISIT. STABLER

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